

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MASS, TW

SUBJECT: TERMINATION OF LOAN OF LVT3C VESSELS

REF: TAIPEI 4544

1. THE FOLLOWING TEXT IS SUGGESTED FOR YOUR RESPONSE TO THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS NOTE CONCERNING THE LTV3C VEHICLES:

"I HAVE THE HONOR TO ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF YOUR NOTE NO. NAM 74-10559 DATED JULY 16, 1974, IN WHICH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA REQUESTS THE TERMINATION OF THE LOAN OF 44 LVT3C VEHICLES, AND TO INFORM YOU THAT MY GOVERNMENT IS IN AGREEMENT WITH THIS LOAN TERMINATION. IF IT IS ACCEPTABLE, I HAVE THE FURTHER HONOR TO PROPOSE THAT THIS NOTE, TOGETHER WITH YOUR NOTE, SHALL CONSTITUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS WHICH SHALL ENTER INTO FORCE ON ..... I AVAIL MYSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO REITERATE TO YOU THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST

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CONSIDERATION."

2. THE VEHICLES SHOULD BE TURNED OVER TO THE DEFENSE  
PROPERTY DISPOSAL OFFICE IN TAIPEI AS NOTED IN PARA 3  
OF REFTEL. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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